

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. **H.4938, as Amended**

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TO:	The Honorable Daniel T. "Dan" Cooper, Chairperson, House Ways and Means Committee		
FROM:	Office of State Budget, Budget and Control Board		
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SUBJECT:	Emergency Air Wing Established		

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ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON FEDERAL & OTHER FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

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**BILL SUMMARY:**

House Bill 4938, as amended, establishes an Emergency Air Wing of the South Carolina State Guard. This organization will consist of volunteer pilots and flight ground crews who will provide emergency air support as authorized by the Adjutant General.

**EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:**

The Adjutant General's Office, the Budget & Control Board, and the State Accident Fund report this Bill will have no direct fiscal impact on the agencies. The Emergency Air Wing volunteers will be responsible for carrying at least \$1 million in liability insurance for each airplane and for paying workers' compensation premiums.

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:**

None.

**SPECIAL NOTES:**

None.

Approved by:



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